### **ALASKA FY 2016 LIHEAP**

#### PERFORMANCE MEASURES EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

In FY 2016, Alaska furnished LIHEAP bill payment assistance to 8,347 households
They collected main heating burden data for 2,925 households (35%)

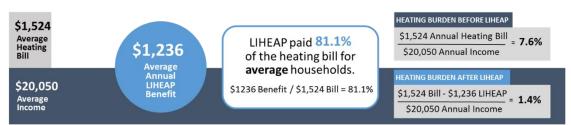
## Does LIHEAP furnish higher benefits to higher burden households?

**Yes.** In Alaska, the total LIHEAP benefit received by high burden households in FY 2016 was about **\$593 (48%) more** than the total LIHEAP benefit received by the average recipient household.

# Does LIHEAP pay a larger share of the home main heating bill for high burden households?

**Yes.** In FY 2016, LIHEAP paid **81.1%** of the main heating bill for average households in Alaska, while LIHEAP paid **92.2%** of the main heating bill for high burden households.

#### **All Households**



#### **High Burden Households**



#### **Prevention and Restoration of Home Energy Service Loss**

#### As a Result of Bill Payment Assistance

Prevention (46%) Restoration (54%) 571 Occurrences 672 Occurrences

#### As a Result of Equipment Repair or Replacement

Alaska did not report preventions or restorations as a result of equipment repair or replacement.

- In FY 2016, LIHEAP benefits in Alaska prevented the loss of service 571 times, by stopping threatened utility service disconnections and by delivering fuels to homes that were at risk of running out.
- In FY 2016, LIHEAP benefits restored home energy service 672 times for households who had been disconnected by their utility provider or who had run out of fuel oil, propane, or wood.